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Health Benefit Options

Charles County Commissioners

Employees

2011-2012

Benefits Comparison Summary

Benefits		PREFERRED PRO
		In-Network
INPATIENT HOSPITALIZATION	100% up to 365 days	
INPATIENT MEDICAL/SURGICAL	100% AB (Allowed Benefit)	
EMERGENCY SERVICES (Life Threatening)	ER: Accident - 100% AB within 72 hours ER: Medical Emergency - 100% AB after copay	
PRIMARY CARE Office Visit Specialist Office Visit	\$15 copay per visit	
OUTPATIENT SURGERY	100% AB	
MATERNITY CARE	100% AB; Includes Pre- & Postnatal	
DIAGNOSTIC X-RAY & LAB	Office - \$15 copay per visit Outpatient Facility - \$35 copay per visit	
WELL CHILD CARE	\$15 copay per visit	
ROUTINE PHYSICALS	\$15 copay per visit	
ALLERGY TESTING	100% AB	
PHYSICAL/OCCUPATIONAL/SPEECH THERAPY (PT, OT, ST)	100% AB after copay per visit, 100 visits per calendar year	
CHIROPRACTIC CARE	\$15 copay per visit	
RADIATION/CHEMOTHERAPY/RENAL DIALYSIS	100% AB after copay per visit	
DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT	100% AB	
PRESCRIPTION DRUGS (When filled by Participating Pharmacies)	\$5 copay Generic/\$20 copay Formulary Brand \$35 copay Non-Formulary Brand 3 copays for 90-day maintenance supply at retail 2 copays for 90-day maintenance supply at mail order	
INPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC	*100% up to 365 days	
OUTPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC	*\$15 copay per visit	
ALCOHOL/SUBSTANCE ABUSE REHABILITATION	*See Psychiatric Benefits	
PLAN PROVISIONS Copays	\$15 Office visit, \$25 Practitioner outpatient department, \$35 Hospital outpatient department	
Calendar Year Deductible	None	
Coinsurance	100%	
Out-of-Pocket Maximum (Includes Deductible)	\$1,000 Individual per year, \$2,000 Family Aggregate	
DEPENDENT AGE LIMIT	End of the month in which they turn 26	
COST CONTAINMENT	N/A	

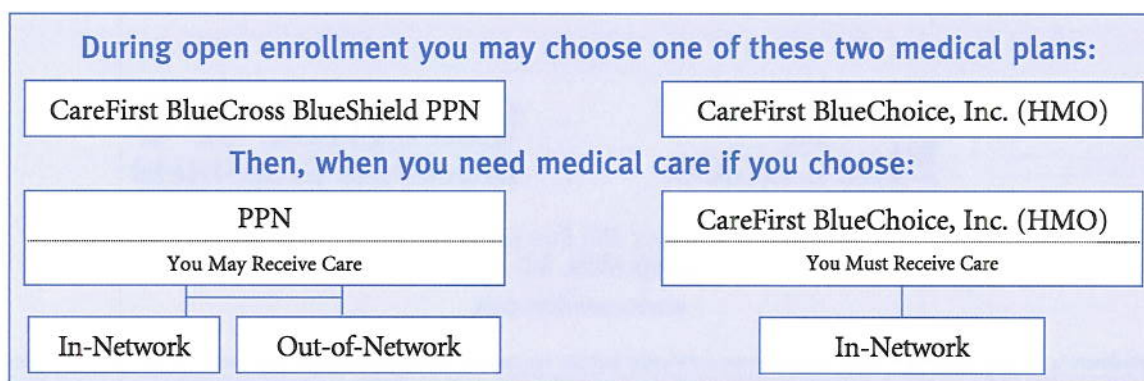
The above serves as a comparison only. Please consult each plan benefit guide for full details, particularly in regard to exclusions, limitations, and additional coverage.

Benefits subject to the contract between CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield, CareFirst BlueChoice, Inc. and Charles County Commissioners.

AB = Allowed Benefit

*Benefits will be managed through Magellan Behavioral Health. All inpatient psychiatric/alcoholism treatment requires preauthorization by Magellan Behavioral Health: (800) 245-7013.

<div> IN-RENDER NETWORK </div>	
<div> Out-of-Network </div>	
<div> CAREFIRST BLUECHOICE, INC. (HMO) An Independent Licensee of the BlueCross and BlueShield Association </div>	
80% after deductible up to 365 days	Covered in full
80% AB (Allowed Benefit) after deductible	Covered in full
ER: Accident - 100% AB within 72 hours ER: Medical Emergency - 80% AB after deductible	ER: 100% after \$25 copay; waived if admitted Urgent Care Center – \$5 PCP, \$10 Specialist
80% AB after deductible	\$5 PCP \$10 Specialist
80% AB after deductible	\$5 PCP/\$10 Specialist
80% AB after deductible; Includes Pre- & Postnatal	\$10 copay per visit (up to \$100 per pregnancy)
80% AB after deductible	Covered in full
80% AB (deductible waived)	\$5 copay per visit
80% AB after deductible	\$5 PCP/\$10 Specialist
80% AB after deductible	Allergy Testing/Injections/Serum \$5 PCP/\$10 copay specialist
80% AB after deductible, 100 visits per calendar year	\$10 copay, 30 visits per condition, per calendar year
80% AB after deductible	\$10 copay; 20 visits per calendar year
80% AB after deductible	\$10 copay per visit
80% AB after deductible	Covered in full – no max
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*80% after deductible up to 365 days	*Covered in full
*80% of AB after deductible	*\$5 copay per visit
*See Psychiatric Benefits	*See Psychiatric Benefits
N/A	\$5 PCP, \$10 Specialist, \$25 ER
\$200 Individual per year, \$400 Family Aggregate	None
80%/20%	N/A
\$1,000 Individual per year, \$2,000 Family Aggregate	N/A
End of the month in which they turn 26	End of the month in which they turn 26
N/A	All cost containment performed by HMO



Summary of Benefits: Select Vision

	Lenses	Frames	Total Allowance
SINGLE	\$41.50	\$29.50	\$71.00
BIFOCAL	\$67.00	\$29.50	\$96.50
TRIFOCAL	\$89.50	\$29.50	\$119.00
CATARACT (APHAKIC)	\$156.50	\$29.50	\$186.00
CONTACT LENSES (PER PAIR)	Medically Indicated*		\$221.00
	Cosmetic - Single Vision Lenses		\$71.00
BENEFIT PERIOD FOR FRAMES AND LENSES	Benefits for frames, lenses, and contact lenses are available once every 12 months		
Eye Exam	100% of Allowed Benefit (any additional charge for contact lenses exam not covered) Benefit for eye exam - once every 12 months		

* Following cataract surgery or when visual acuity is correctable to at least 20/70 in the better eye only by use of contact lenses.

Summary of Benefits: Regional Traditional Dental

BENEFIT PERIOD DEDUCTIBLES: CLASS II-IV	
Individual Deductible	\$25
Family Deductible	\$75
REIMBURSEMENT LEVELS	
Class I - Preventative & Diagnostic Services	100% Allowed Benefit (AB), no deductible
Class II - Basic Services	100% AB after deductible
Periodontal Services	80% AB after deductible
Class III - Major Surgical Services	80% AB after deductible
Class IV - Major Restorative Services	50% AB after deductible
Class V - Orthodontic Services	50% AB, no deductible
BENEFIT PERIOD MAXIMUM: CLASS I-IV	\$1,500
LIFETIME MAXIMUM: CLASS V	\$1,500
BENEFIT PERIOD	July 1st -June 30th



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